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Dear DSA-Structural Safety (SS) stakeholder

As part of our effort to keep our Stakeholders informed of the 2006 Rulemaking Cycle this letter documents the progress of DSA's submittals through the BSC process. The attached file is a notice from the BSC regarding a recently scheduled Code Advisory Committee (CAC) meeting.

Regarding the adoption of the 2006 IBC model code, DSA submitted it's Express Terms and Initial Statement of Reasons to the BSC on May 31, 2006. There have been a number of CAC meetings at which state agency proposals were reviewed. The 45 day public comment period will commence in early September 2006. Please watch the BCS web site for details and latest developments.

The CAC meetings scheduled to date are listed on the DSA web site at http://www.dsa.dgs.ca.gov/CodeChanges/default.htm

The latest CAC meeting announced for August 16 & 17 is for the "Plumbing, Electrical, Mechanical and Energy" committee. DSA-SS has proposed the adoption of the 2005 edition of the National Electrical Code (N.E.C.), the 2006 edition of the Uniform Mechanical Code (U.M.C.) and the 2006 edition of the Uniform Plumbing Code (U.P.C.) for incorporation into Title 24, Parts 3, 4 and 5 respectively.

Please review the attached announcement for details.

Thank you

DSA-SS

Attachment: CAC Notice